Plaintiffs,

MEMORANDUM AND ORDER

-against-

Case No. 17-CV-03211 (FB) (SMG)

THE CITY OF NEW YORK, NEW YORK CITY POLICE DEPARTMENT, SGT. CONA, and POLICE OFFICER JOHN DOE,

Defendants.

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BLOCK, Senior District Judge:

On September 15, 2017, Magistrate Judge Gold issued a Report and Recommendation ("R&R") recommending that the Court dismiss the Complaint without prejudice for failure to prosecute under Federal Rule of Civil Procedure 4(m). *See* R&R at 1. The R&R also stated that Plaintiffs' failure to object within fourteen days of receiving the R&R may preclude appellate review. *See id.* No objections have been filed.

If clear notice has been given of the consequences of failure to object and there are no objections, the Court may adopt the R&R without *de novo* review. *See Mario v. P & C Food Mkts., Inc.,* 313 F.3d 758, 766 (2d Cir. 2002) ("Where parties receive clear notice of the

consequences, failure timely to object to a magistrate's report and recommendation

operates as a waiver of further judicial review of the magistrate's decision."). The Court

will excuse the failure to object and conduct de novo review if it appears that the magistrate

judge may have committed plain error. See Spence v. Superintendent, Great Meadow Corr.

Facility, 219 F.3d 162, 174 (2d Cir. 2000). No such error appears here. Accordingly, the

Court adopts the R&R without *de novo* review and directs the Clerk to enter judgment in

accordance with the R&R.

SO ORDERED.

/S/ Frederic Block

FREDERIC BLOCK

 $Senior\,United\,States\,District\,Judge$

Brooklyn, NY October 3, 2017

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